ABSTRACT

An object of the invention is to provide a cam apparatus for knitting a fabric, which enables easy transferring, temporal placement of a knitted loop, and the like, and furthermore enables downsizing of a carriage. On each of carriages (3, 4) are disposed a group of transfer cams (40) and a group of receiving cams (50). A leftward movement of the carriages (3, 4) makes it possible to transfer a knitted loop from a front needle bed provided with the carriage (3) to a rear needle bed provided with the carriage (4). A rightward movement of the carriages (3, 4) makes it possible to transfer the knitted loop from the rear needle bed provided with the carriage (4) to the front needle bed provided with the carriage (3). The transferring can be freely carried out between the front and rear needle beds (3, 4), and it is possible to temporarily place a knitted loop (80) from one needle bed to another needle bed and keep a holding, and further retain the knitted loop (80) separately from a fabric being knitted on the other needle bed and when needed, return the knitted loop (80) from the other needle bed to the one needle bed.